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Council Minutes of M.D. Battle River

The council of the municipal district of Battle River, No. 423 met in the municipal office at Irma, Alta., on Thursday, July 13th, 1933; full council present, the reeve presiding.

Moved by Mr. Vesey that the minutes of June 15th, 1933, be approved as read. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakeley that in the matter of Mrs. A. E. Porter's application for old age pension that Mr. Richmond, the agent for the said Mrs. Porter, be given the privilege of explaining the matters in this case. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the report of Mr. Dalton re A. Bruiat, medical aid, be accepted. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the appeal from the Hudson's Bay Co. wild land assessment, S.W. 8-44-9-W4th, be disallowed on account of no cultivation area and insufficient stock per acre, as required per section 4, wild land tax act. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the appeal from the Hudson's Bay Co. wild land assessment on N.W. 8-46-9-W4th and N.W. 20-46-7-W4th, be laid over until August meeting and that Mr. Archibald investigate the earned exemptions on N.W. 8-46-9-W4th, and Mr. Vesey the N.W. 20-46-7-W4th. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the appeal from the C.P.R. wild land assessment on N.W. 23-44-9-W4th be referred to Mr. Smallwood to investigate earned exemptions and report at August meeting. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the appeal from the C.P.R. wild land assessment on N.W. 27-46-9-W4th, be allowed on account grazing lease. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the appeal from D. Philip, Winnipeg, wild land assessment E1-2 28-45-8 and all 34-45-8-W4th be disallowed on the grounds as per section 4, wild land tax act. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the report from the secretary as registrar of vital statistics re Baby Cooper cause of death and interment be accepted. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the weed inspector's report be accepted. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakeley that the secretary reply to letter from the old age pension department dated July 2nd regarding old age pension application of Mrs. A. E. Porter, that if the pension authorities assure this municipal district that they will be reimbursed out of the estate of such pensioner such sums paid by them this municipality in consideration that the land in question be considered in awarding such a pension, this council will recommend old age pension to Mrs. Porter. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakeley that the secretary write the department of municipal affairs re 8 acres, Taylor and Clark land, part of N.E. 36-44-7-W4th asking advice regarding certain chattels placed on said land. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the report of Mr. Smallwood and Dr. Greenberg re Figgins and Cooper be accepted. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that advice received from the attorney general dept. re N. Bruiat not support of his wife and family, the secretary now write the attorney general of the Dominion government stating the case in question. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakeley that a cheque be made in favor of S. Szoke for \$32.00 being the sum paid under protest for the release of impounded animals by Jas. Armstrong, June 16th, 1933, and deposit for investigation. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Dalton that the tender for grubbing and removing brush in the Irma cemetery be awarded to E. E. Sharkey for the sum of fifteen dollars. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakeley that an agreement be drawn up between the municipal district and E. E. Sharkey for cemetery work and same being approved and signed by parties concerned before work is entered into. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Dalton that the secretary be instructed to advise Mrs. Jerace that if she continues to take in male boarders, monthly mothers allowance will be discontinued. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakeley that the secretary prepare list of all S.S.B. lands, crown lands, and hospital tax arrears and present same at August meeting. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the secretary advise St. Annes hospital re their account \$29.50, J. Rubenok, that this council do not consider this party indigent. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Vesey that the secretary

Irma Hockey Club Sponsor Big Sports Day, August 2nd

The Irma hockey club is sponsoring a sports day at Irma on August 2nd, which will feature a baseball tournament to be played by six teams. The first prize for this baseball classic is \$10.00; 2nd prize \$20.00 and third prize \$10.00. Entry fee of five dollars from each team and are to be in the hands of secretary by July 31st, said entry fee to be refunded to teams when they have completed their play. The draw will be made on August 1st and each team notified when to play.

This big day will be featured by other exciting sports such as a greasy pig scramble for adults, and a greasy little porker for kiddies 15 years and under; half mile race, 100 yards dash, and a real honest-to-goodness horseshoe tournament, besides races of all kinds for the kiddies.

Ample preparations are being made to feed the multitudes that will gather on the fair grounds to see the sports.

Admission to grounds is the low price of 10c; all cars find parking space on the grounds free.

Last but not least, arrangements have been made for a grand ball in Kief's hall at night to top off the festivities that will likely be the last of its kind before harvesting operations commence, so don't miss any part of the day's program. J. Fletcher, secretary, will be pleased to answer all and sundry questions and assist you in enjoying the day to the utmost.

Wise to Plough Sweet Clover Stubble Early

The results of experiments conducted on the Dominion Experimental Farm at Brandon indicate that the time of ploughing sweet clover stubble has a very marked effect upon the yield of the succeeding grain crop.

When sweet clover stubble is ploughed immediately after the first cutting of hay, about the first week in July, the yield of grain the following year has been practically equal to that produced on summer-fallow. If the ploughing is delayed some 3 weeks after cutting and a fair amount of new growth is produced, the succeeding grain yield is considerably reduced. A further reduction in yield results when the ploughing is delayed until after a second cutting of hay has been taken. These reductions are most noticeable during dry years, such as 1931.

In 1931 the wheat yields on the Brandon Farm were as follows: (1) Summer-fallow, 20 bushels; (2) Sweet clover stubble ploughed after first hay cutting, July 2, 20 1-2 bushels; (3) Ploughed three weeks later, 17 1-2 bushels; (4) Ploughed after second hay cutting, about middle of August 6 1-2 bushels.

In the main, the reductions in yield can be explained on the basis of moisture reserves in the soil. Throughout the growing period, the sweet clover plant draws moisture from the soil, and the amount is in direct relation to the mass of top growth. The larger the top growth, the more water pumped from the soil. During the spring months, there is usually sufficient moisture for growth as well as a certain amount for reserve. July and August are apt to be dry and if the sweet clover is permitted to grow during these months, much, if not all, of the reserved moisture is removed from the soil. Unless a wet fall is encountered the next year's grain crop is bound to suffer.

To avoid failure, and be on the safe side—plough early.

Dominion Experimental Farm, Brandon Man., G. F. H. Buckley.

CARD OF THANKS

G. F. Albrecht and children hereby sincerely thank all of their friends for the kind expressions of sympathy and for the beautiful floral tributes, also the personal assistance extended in their recent and bereavement by the sudden death of Mrs. Albrecht, wife and mother. For all their kindnesses we are deeply grateful.

G. F. ALBRECHT and family.

SILVER LANE, STRAWBERRY PLAINS and LEWISVILLE ANNUAL PICNIC on the S.E. 21-44-9.

JULY 26th.

Full line of sports. Ladies please bring baskets. 14-21-9.

Council M.D. of Kinsella Hold Meet, July 10th.

Municipal District of Kinsella, No. 424.

Minutes of meeting held at Kinsella on Monday, July 10th, 1933.

Full council present.

Cr. Pendleton that minutes be passed as read. Carried unanimously.

Statement of receipts and expenditures being read Cr. Murray that statement be passed as read. Carried unanimously.

Cr. Carter that Secretary seize crops on which seed grain is owing and at the same time give instructions to the debtors that grain equal in value to the amount of seed grain advance owing must be sold in the name of the Municipal District or left in the name of the Municipal District. Carried unanimously.

Cr. Pendleton that two thirds of the second School requisition be paid at once to the School Districts lying wholly within the Municipal District and the Secretary write to the Boards of the School Districts lying partly within the Municipal District to find out how the said districts can temporarily finance without the second requisition or part of the same, the requisitions to be paid up as collections are made. Carried unanimously.

Cr. Pendleton that Secretary instruct Mr. E. Lundie to be medically examined and present the Doctors report to the secretary. Carried unanimously.

Cr. Pendleton that Council purchase 300 lbs. of Atlacide weed killer and place one drum, 50lbs., with each Councilor for distribution. Carried unanimously.

Cr. Carter that application for license to sell soft drinks presented by W. Boyd, Jarrow be approved. Carried unanimously.

Cr. Carter that the application made by E. J. Kelly of Jarrow to sell sopher poison be approved. Carried unanimously.

Correspondence from R.A. Hospital, C.P.R. Viking Hospital A. L. Miller etc., was read and was tabled for attention of Secretary.

Cr. Carter that the following bills be passed for payment:

Postmaster \$25.00
K. C. Carter F. M. 5.00
F. Pendleton F. M. 17.40
J. Bowden F. M. 4.60
A. Bradley F. M. 14.50
G. F. Albrecht S. G. Arneson 17.50
J. C. Hennessy Holmes 65.00
R. Holcroft S. G. Rawluk 15.75
Viking Hospital re Whitford 31.50
C.N. Railways 72.23
St. Annes Hospital re Hospital 38.00
W. Boyd re Rawluk 14.03
M. Unalouka repairs 17.25
T. and Ansell re Holmes, Bourgeois 23.00
E. J. Kelly re Ranjom 5.00
W. L. Ferries re Lund 8.00
Kinsella Hotel, Ochato 1.45
J. Marshall re Smuts 29.36
H. Benough election 4.00
W. M. News, Stationary 31.08
Lg. M. Grove re Wilkinson 7.49
Kings Printer 3.69
Francisco, telling them of her trip. Mrs. B. Wachter spent last Thursday in Edmonton. 10.00
Miss Ellen Neale is attending the Edmonton fair this week. She was accompanied by her grand parents and uncle. 4.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ferries received word from their daughter, Kathleen, on Monday from San Francisco, telling them of her trip. She is having a most wonderful and pleasant trip. 6.00
Mrs. B. Wachter and daughters, Maxine, Ruth and Doris, left for Victoria on Wednesday morning where they will visit the former's daughter. 5.00
Cr. Pendleton that the meeting adjourn till 10 a. m. Monday, September 11th, at Jarrow.

B. H. Green, Secretary Treasurer, Municipal District of Kinsella, No. 424.

"New-Fun-Land"

Montreal.—On the liner Lady Somers coming up the St. Lawrence recently newspapermen learned from good authority how to pronounce "Newfoundland."

Granted that the people who live there have a right to determine the pronunciation, and that Lady Outerbridge, wife of Sir Joseph Outerbridge, after 40 years residence in Newfoundland is an authority, the way to pronounce it is: "new-fun-land" with all the stress on the "land."

Heard among the ladies at the social: "My husband proposed four times before I accepted him." "Do you know who the other three girls were?"

"I've got glorious news," said a local fellow to a girl at the dance, "Miss ... has promised to be my wife."

"Well, maybe that's news to you," the girl replied, "but she asked me to be her bridesmaid a month ago."

Review of Western Markets

Cattle

BEEF—Trade at Edmonton quite active; prices steady. Very few grasses offered. Choice heavy steers \$3.75@4.00; choice light \$4.00@4.50; good \$3.50@3.75; medium \$3.50@3.50; common \$2.25@2.50. Choice heifers \$4.25@4.50; good kinds \$3.50@3.75. Choice cows \$2.25@2.50; good \$2.25@2.25; medium \$1.75@2.00; common \$1.25@1.50; canners and cutters 50c@1.00. Choice bulls \$1.25@1.50; medium \$1.00@1.25; canners from 75c up. Choice light calves \$3.00@3.50; common \$2.25@2.50. FEEDERS-STOCKERS—Market not very active. Feeder steers \$2@2.25; stock heifers \$2@2.25; stock cows \$1.25@1.75.

Hogs

Edmonton 25c stronger. Bacon making \$5.50; select \$6; butchers \$5, fed and watered basis.

Sheep

Market at Edmonton unchanged. Yearlings \$2@2.25; ewes \$1@1.25; lambs from \$3@3.50.

Cream

CREAM—Prices steady: Special, 14c; first, 12c; No. 2, 8c, at country point and centralizing plants. Deliveries said to be steady with last week, but indications point to peak for season having been reached.

Poultry—Eggs

POULTRY—Fewer fowl offered, with a slight improvement in broiler deliveries; some hens in poor shape, but young birds better. Prices steady to 1 cent easier: Fowl, No. 1, over 4 lbs., 7c; No. 1, under 4 lbs., 6c; No. 2, 4c. Broilers, No. 1, over 2 lbs., 11@12c; No. 2, 6@7c. EGGS—Receipts very light and only really fresh lots available. Demand sufficient to keep the egg market

well cleared. Prices steady to 1c firmer: Extras, 11c; firsts, 8c; seconds, 5@6c.

Hay—Feed Oats—Greenfeed

HAY—Carload lot trade very slow. No new stuff offered, although cutting started. Upland \$7; timothy \$7 @ \$8 on track at shipping point. Calgary loose hay market finds demand good with hardly enough supplies to meet requirements; only odd loads of new hay offered. Prices steady: Upland, loose, \$8; baled \$9 per ton, delivered. FEED OATS—Quotation shade firmer at 16@20c per bushel demand not active and rising grain prices affecting values. GREENFEED—Offering light as supply diminishes; good demand; steady price of \$5@6 per ton prevailing.

Crop Report Declares North Alberta Satisfactory

The general crop situation in southern Alberta has not improved during the past two weeks. Scattered showers have occurred in the southern and south-eastern part of the province but these have not been sufficient to overcome drought and insect damage previously reported. In some of this area, particularly in that lying between the Coronation branch of the C. P. R. and the Red Deer River, crop conditions may be regarded as serious. In the irrigated districts fairly satisfactory conditions prevail but on the dry land especially on spring plowing there has been severe crop damage due to hot dry winds and lack of moisture. In the area along the southern boundary from Milk River through to Foremost and Manleyberies there has been considerable moisture throughout the season so that the crop in this district is in fair condition. Generally speaking the balance of the territory south of Carstairs and Crossfield has not received sufficient moisture, and as a result there will be a short crop.

Throughout north-central and northern Alberta, reports indicate very satisfactory conditions. Frequent showers have occurred over all this area, in some instances amounting to more than two inches of precipitation during the past two weeks. Reports indicate that the damage from grasshoppers and other pests has not been serious. In a few instances where infestation has been most severe and where drought conditions have greatly retarded crop growth, grasshoppers have caused further deterioration. Hail has damaged crops in a few small areas but it is generally conceded that the attendant moisture has more than offset the damage due to this cause.

The greater part of the wheat crop, with the exception of that in the Peace River district, is now in head. In the latter district heading has commenced and is progressing under most favorable conditions. Oats and barley are in the shot blade.

As to the hay crop situation: unless rains relieve the situation within a very short time, there will be a distinct pasture and feed shortage in those districts where drought has been most severe.

Judgment Given In McPherson Case

In a lengthy review of the legal aspects of the appeal of Mrs. Cora McPherson for the annulment of the divorce obtained by the Hon. O. L. McPherson in 1931, Mr. Justice Ford gave judgment on Wednesday. The judgment dismissed the appeal, left open the question of costs and suggested that if reference was made to him in the matter of an allowance under the Domestic Relations Act, he would give consideration.

Mr. Justice Ford found that the case was practically without precedent in Canadian or British law, so he had to be guided as best he could by the conflicting evidence presented. His opinion of some of the evidence is tersely expressed thus: "There is room for doubt as to where the truth of the whole matter lies."

Statements are made that Mrs. Cora McPherson will carry the case to the Supreme Court of Great Britain, the final court of appeal.

A want ad. in this paper does big work at small cost. Now is the time to sell, trade, or exchange for something else.

NOTICE

NOTICE to Creditors and Claimants in the Estate of ANDREW SMART, late of the district of Irma, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named Andrew Smart, who died on or about the First day of May A.D. 1933, are required to file with NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY LIMITED, of the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, by the 2nd day of September, A.D. 1933, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed and which have been brought to its knowledge.

Dated this 8th day of July, A.D. 1933.

NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY LIMITED
Administrator.
Edmonton Alberta
By their solicitor, C. G. PURVIS.
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The World's Grain Show.

From the beginning of time man's chief concern has been the obtaining of food to sustain life, and particularly that item of food which we have come to term the staff of life, bread. All down through the ages man has grown grains which, at first, by means of the crudest of methods he crushed and converted in a kind of flour. In the early years of the world's history wheat was recognized as the most acceptable of all grains for flour making purposes, the most highly prized of all grains. For thousands of years wheat has been a vitally important factor in the life of the human race; if there was a lack of it famine faced the people. Thus back in the days of Joseph the first storage elevators were built in order, in years of plenty, to provide for the lean years which always have come and always will come.

The growing, storage, transportation of wheat was a problem in those far off days, and it is one of the world's greatest problems today after the passage of thousands of years. It is engaging the attention of the statesmen of the world assembled at the World Economic Conference in London, England; it is the reason for the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference which opens at Regina on July 24. Rise and fall in the world supply and world prices of wheat is one of the great trade barometers of the world. Prices of other commodities fluctuate as the price of wheat fluctuates.

Therefore, the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference at Regina is an event of outstanding importance, and of particular importance to Canada as one of the great wheat producing and exporting nations. It is not a Regina exhibition, nor a Saskatchewan exhibition, nor a Canadian exhibition, but a world exhibition in every sense. But of all sections of the globe none is more vitally interested in its success than the prairie provinces of Canada, in the very heart of which it is being held, and held at what may be regarded as a crisis in the history of the world's oldest and most important industry.

Years of planning and organization effort have been devoted to making this World's Grain Exhibition and Conference a notable event. As a result, it will undoubtedly prove to be one of the greatest world exhibitions devoted to a single phase of human endeavour ever held. While wheat will occupy the foremost place because, as already stated, it is the foremost grain in the economic life of the world, every known variety of grain will be on exhibition and in competition. Many tons of exhibits from a score or more of nations and from all continents, including comprehensive and representative national exhibits as well as the competitive exhibits, will be attractively displayed in the largest grain exhibition building in the world, built specially for this great show. This building contains several acres of floor space, and actually miles of frontage exhibits.

This building in itself alone will repay a visit to this world exhibition. The scheme of decoration is unique. The interior of the huge structure is completely decorated in grains and grasses and seeds of every kind, description and color. It will be a veritable blaze of light and color, with huge colored transparencies, the largest in the world, specially constructed in England, and interesting devices too numerous to enumerate.

Apart from the exhibition proper, the conferences to be held on every important subject related to grain growing, financing, storage and transportation, and participated in by the leading experts and agricultural officials of governments the world over, will be of such a high educative value that people as deeply interested as Western Canadian farmers are, cannot afford to miss them. Such subjects as Present World Situation and Trends, World's Wheat Surplus, Retarding and Controlling Production, Financing World's Wheat Surplus, World's Import Cereals Requirements, World's Wheat Import Standards, Merchandising Methods in Grain Marketing, Can Improvements Be Expected? Greater Economy in Transportation and Storage of World Export Grains, Livestock—Its Place in Marketing Grain, and many others, will be discussed by men who are familiar with their subjects and who can speak authoritatively on them.

Morning sessions of this great world conference will be held in the Armories, located in the exhibition grounds, a beautiful building capable of seating 4,000 people comfortably. Afternoon sessions will take the form of joint meetings of various technical societies and groups, and will be held in Regina College and adjoining buildings.

As an exhibition city, the capital of Saskatchewan will be looking its best as the citizens are vying one with another as well as working untidily through various civic bodies, to beautify and decorate the city for this memorable occasion.

And there will be ample accommodation for all who may come. In addition to a "tent city" of 2,000 tents, with all sanitary conveniences, created adjacent to the exhibition grounds, thousands of city homes are being thrown open to exhibition guests and visitors, every room has been inspected, classified, rated and listed, so that people will know just what they can obtain and where and at what price.

Inasmuch as this World's Grain Exhibition is being held in conjunction with the annual Saskatchewan Provincial Fair, which has been greatly enlarged this year, and all within the same grounds, visitors will enjoy the advantages not only of the World Show but of the Provincial Fair as well, with all the varied attractions and amusements it will have to offer.

Western Canadians wishing to see a World's Exhibition have in the past always had to travel long distances and go to great expense to enjoy such a privilege. This year a World's Exhibition, and one in a class by itself will be in progress right in their midst. It is an opportunity that comes but once in a lifetime, and every person resident in the three prairie provinces who can possibly do so should take full advantage of it.

Wheat in Two Countries

United States May Have To Import From Canada This Year

If the crop experts are correct in their predictions the United States will have to import wheat before the 1934 crop is harvested—and Canada has wheat for sale.

United States Government reports estimate total production for the present year at 635,000,000 bushels. Normal consumption is 620,000,000 bushels, and usually there are heavy exports, shipments to territories and insular possessions. Winter wheat is down 250,000,000 bushels from the average and spring wheat is "below normal."

At the same time, Canadian Government officials reported that in Saskatchewan and Manitoba crop prospects were "notably better" than a year ago, and in Alberta only very slightly below the corresponding date of '32.

On the basis, then, of present expectation, the United States will be off the export market for the next year, and in addition will have to import a considerable quantity of wheat. This situation should react to the distinct advantage of Canada, which goes into the new crop year with a heavy carry-over and the best outlook in a decade for a heavy and well-distributed production. Dollar wheat may not be so far away as it has seemed.—Ottawa Journal.

Concord Farmers Like Crows

Believe He Is Friend and Pays For His Keep

Uncle Sam's experts and states of Massachusetts and Maryland may be agin' 'em, but New Hampshire is a friend of the crow.

The farmers of the Old Granite state will have none of the new-fangled coal tar solutions for soaking seed corn and peas just to give Jim Crow the collywobles.

They believe the crow is a friend of the farmer. He may steal a few kernels of planted corn, but most of the time when he is scratching in a field, he is probably digging for bugs, farmers here claim.

The damage they do is exaggerated, at least Commissioner of Agriculture Andrew L. Felker believes it.

"Generally speaking, New Hampshire farmers aren't upset much over crows," he said. "We'll hear 'em cawing for many a springtime yet, and when last year's overalls are beyond all patching, we'll stuff them with straw, put a sugar bag head on top and have us a scarecrow for old time's sake."

"They pay for their keep by the insects they eat."

Influence Of Women

Thinks Conditions Would Be Much Better If World Was Guided By Women

"There is one thing of which I am absolutely positive," said C. P. Howard, Indianapolis, in addressing the annual banquet of the Ontario and Quebec Conference of Typographical unions, at Toronto. "If women controlled the unions and politics of the world we wouldn't have millions unemployed, nor would we have hundreds of thousands starving while we have plenty to eat."

The influence of women, he said, "has kept men from being worse animals than they are."

President Franklin Roosevelt, he said, was the "greatest" dictator the world had ever seen. "You may take Stalin of Russia, Hitler of Germany, or Mussolini of Italy—none of these has the power of the president of the United States."

T.B. Infection

New Substance Reported Being Made To Destroy Presence Of Tuberculosis

Research workers of the National Tuberculosis Association are perfecting and will shortly give the world a new substance to determine accurately the presence of tuberculosis infection in man, the Toronto Telegram said it has learned.

"This substance, it is understood, will contain no foreign elements other than the one the purpose of which is to indicate diagnostically the presence of infection," the newspaper said. "It has as yet been given no name and is not ready for commercial distribution."

Clock Has No Dial

A church clock at Lullington, Staffordshire, England, although it has neither dial nor hands, is said to have kept good time for nearly 400 years. It strikes the hours only. Rudely fashioned between oak beams, the mechanism is actuated by two heavy stones attached to ropes which run over pulleys in the belfry 30 feet above.



For Five Complete Sets of Poker Hands

You can obtain a pair of first quality Ladies' pure thread Silk Stockings, 45 gauge. Combined with excellent wearing qualities, these Stockings have the dull, softer appearance which is so desirable and they are obtainable in the latest shades. Sizes 8½, 9, 9½, 10.

There is genuine economy in rolling your own with Turret fine cut, as you can make more than 50 cigarettes from a 20c. package.



It pays to "Roll Your Own" with **TURRET FINE CUT CIGARETTE TOBACCO** SAVE THE POKER HANDS

Imperial Tobacco Company of Canada, Limited

New Clock Very Accurate

Master Timepiece Will Not Vary Second In Five Years

A master clock that will not gain or lose one second in five or six years, was described before the 219th meeting of the Physics Club of New York by O. H. Caldwell, former Federal Radio Commissioner. The clock was completed recently in Washington by engineers of the United States Government and will be installed at the Naval Observatory there to regulate all official clocks and correlate over government radio stations. In short, the new timepiece will set the pace for all activities ashore and afloat.

The clock operates on a "unique" principle. A slender bar of crystal quartz a few inches long is suspended in an air chamber, in which the temperature is kept constant to within a few hundredths of a degree. The arrangements of the quartz bar in the chamber is such that air vibrations react on it to produce what is called "acoustic feedback." The bar of quartz is delicately suspended on slender threads. An accuracy of one part in 100,000,000 is claimed.

"Clocks operated by other means are not nearly of such accuracy," said Mr. Caldwell. "Even the best pendulum timepieces have a daily error. They run fast and slow, in accordance with the attraction of the moon's mass. But the electronic clock, employing crystal, goes serenely on beating time, undisturbed by the effect of moon on earth. A clock employing such a principle is the most accurate known."

Great Boon To Outfitters

Nazi Brown Is Color Of Hour In Germany

Brown is all the rage today in Germany for everything from suits to shoes.

The triumph of the Nazi "brown shirts" has given men's outfitters an undreamed-of opportunity. Everywhere they are displaying cloth and leather goods of the color of the hour, coupled with printed exhortations to all good Germans to fall in line.

"Brown is trumps!" advertises one enterprising shoe store on Berlin's busy Friedrichstrasse. His window display does not contain even one pair of black footwear.

May Be Fall Session

The parliament of Canada, which ordinarily meets early in each year, may be called together this fall if there are developments at the World's Economic Conference which demand its sanction. Last fall parliament met to put into effect the conclusion of the Imperial Economic Conference.

Prince Opens Bridges

The Prince of Wales opened three new bridges over the Thames, driving over each one at Chiswick, Twickenham and Hampton Court, and the gala ceremonies wound up with a tea on the Hampton Court Bridge and Hampton Court Palace at which nearly 1,000 guests were present.



Foresight Of British Soldier

Made Possible Rapid Mobilization Of Army For Great War

A hundred years ago was born near Dublin, Ireland, Garret Wolseley, a British soldier, whose chief title to fame was that he reorganized the army, modernized its system of training, prepared it for the emergency of war and made rapid mobilization possible. But for his persistence there would have been no expeditionary force—incomparable for efficiency, it has been called—to rush to France in August, 1914. The small but well-trained British Army rendered a great service by its fighting retreat from Mons; and at the first battle of the Marne, the report of its advance into the gap between the First and Second German Armies confused the tactics of the enemy, which believed that the British ranks had been broken and could not be reformed.—New York Times.

Prepare For Immigration

Look For Resumption Of Immigration From United Kingdom

Satisfied the provincial governments of Canada will shortly desire the resumption of immigration from the United Kingdom to Canada, Brigadier General M. L. Hornby, of Lethbridge, Alberta, announced his intention of sailing to England to lay proposed immigration plans before United Kingdom authorities.

"I wish to make it quite clear that I am not advocating increased immigration before the provincial governments have come to consider this advisable," said General Hornby in an interview in Montreal. "What I am advocating at the present time is that we should formulate a definite plan of action without any loss of time. For instance, there should be the acquisition of required land and the preparation of suitable farm homes."

Evolution Of Electric Lamps

New Type Is Very Different From Old Style Tungsten

Edison's tungsten electric lamp was one of the marvels of the 1893 Chicago World's Fair. A new type of electric lamp, the sodium-vapor bulb, promises to be the most significant scientific device on exhibit at the Century of Progress Fair, 40 years later. A Dutch sodium-vapor bulb exhibited at a New York scientific meeting the other night has 16 times the visibility of ordinary tungsten lamps and provides from three to four times as much light for the same amount of electricity. The new lamp provides an unusual yellow light, said to be helpful to vision.

Manitoba Sugar Beets

In 1931 an experimental crop of sugar beets on a small acreage in the Emerson district of the Province of Manitoba gave such encouraging results that over 200 acres were planted in 1932. The total crop of 1,667 tons was shipped to Grand Forks, North Dakota. This year over 300 acres are sown to beets and a sugar factory may soon be built in the district.

Rations For Fifteen Years

The San Quentin Bulletin turned to statistics long enough to report one prisoner had kept track of all the food he had eaten during 15 years as an inmate of a California prison. His record shows 2,157 hamburger buns, 32,850 slices of bread, 4,975 cups of tea, 9,500 cups of coffee and 270,000 beans, the latter item averaging 50 beans a day.

Planning Unusual Flight

Cobham May Attempt Great Re-fueling Trip To Australia

Famous Sir Alan Cobham and Squadron Leader Helmore are proceeding methodically with the flying trials of a new single-engine monoplane in which later this year they may attempt to fly 10,000 miles non-stop. Probably to Australia. They plan to have the plane refueled in flight from "tanker" aircraft which will ascend to meet them from five or six aerodromes along the way. Thus the need to carry an enormous load of fuel at the start is avoided.

For ordinary commercial use the airplane is intended to carry pilot, four or five passengers and luggage. Equipped for the proposed long distance flight it will have seats for the two pilots only, the remainder of the disposable load being represented by approximately 250 gallons of fuel, sufficient for about 26 hours' cruising at 130 to 140 miles per hour. Power is derived from a single 245 horsepower Armstrong Siddeley "Lynx" air-cooled engine. A Townsend engine around the engine is responsible for a gain of 15 miles per hour over the speed attained with an uncowled engine.

If Cobham and Helmore make for Australia and have good luck, they should reach the Australian mainland from England in less than four days.

Increase In Exports

Shipments To United Kingdom Show Heavy Increase During Past Year

An increase of nearly \$30,000,000 in the exports of Canada to the United Kingdom for the 12-month period ending May 31, 1933, is shown in the leading commodities as compared with the same period of 1932, according to a statement issued by Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, recently. For the year ended a month ago total exports of leading commodities to Great Britain had a value of \$108,076,732, while for the corresponding period a year ago the value of these was \$78,961,244.

The largest increase in value was wheat, which, at \$65,744,808 this year, was more than \$25,000,000 greater than last year.

The value of bacon exports increased from \$1,613,029 to \$2,855,078; of barley from \$1,407,099 to \$2,810,242; of hams from \$1,574,614 to \$2,72,862.

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Dr. Richardson, of Viking, has taken over the dental practice at Irma of Dr. Murray and will from now on visit Irma every Friday where he will continue to work in the rear of the Drug Store.

Dr. Richardson will be away on holidays from Monday, July 24th to Wednesday, August 2nd. Dr. Harworth will perform emergency extractions in his office during his absence. Miss Clara King and her brother, Charles, of Edmonton, stopped off at Irma on Wednesday, July 12th, to visit friends on their way to Chicago, Toronto and other eastern points where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mr. Jack Elliott, former hardware merchant of Irma, paid a short visit to Irma last week.

The next regular meeting of the Irma Ladies' Aid will be held on Thursday, July 27th, at the home of Mrs. A. H. Locke. All ladies are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. William Walker, a wellknown resident of the Roseberry district, Irma, passed away on Tuesday afternoon, July 18th, at her home. Mrs. Walker, who had been seriously ill with cancer for some time, was 44 years of age at the time of her death. Besides her husband, she leaves to mourn a family of six children, three daughters and three sons.

The Irma Public School Board have signed up Miss Winnifred Taylor, of Fabyan, and Mr. Raymond L. Martin, son of Mr. O. S. Martin of Hardisty, as teachers for the junior and senior rooms respectively for the coming year. On account of Monday, Sept. 4th being a holiday, the school will open on Sept. 6th.

The Irma C.G.T. group returned from Camp Lake Wednesday, July 19, the Trail Rangers and Tuxis groups taking their place for a week's outing.

Misses Mabel and Clara Enger enjoyed a short holiday with their brother James at Jasper, returning home on Friday, July 14th.

Mr. Milne, the new grain buyer for the U.G.G. Co. returned from his holidays on Monday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Milne will reside in Mr. Schon's house.

Mrs. McCallum, one of Mrs. J. H. Elliott's daughters, arrived by car Tuesday evening from Oakland, California, with her husband and daughter and son-in-law for a visit. Mr. Elliott accompanied the party to Wainwright to see Mr. Elliott who is still in the hospital.

Miss Lillian Inklin was discharged from the Royal Alex. Hospital Sunday, July 16th, and is convalescing with her sister, Mrs. E. H. Hobbs, R.N. Her brother, Phillip, is visiting there as well.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hadlow returned Monday evening from a trip to Waseca Sask., where they enjoyed a few days' holidays with friends. Bruce reports the crops looking fine along the C.N.R. between Mannville, Alta. and Waseca.

Mr. Dave Shepherd, formerly of the Bank of Montreal staff, Irma, was confirmed by Bishop Burgett, of Edmonton at Mannville last Sunday, July 16th.

Mr. O. Enger Sr. has returned to his duties as C.P.R. pumpman at Winton, Sask., after spending his holidays with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Breckenridge on July 15th a son.

Miss Elsie Allen, a former clerk in the Nu-Way Store here, has returned to Irma and is clerking for Foxwell & Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson intend going away for a holiday the first of next week.

Mrs. F. J. Stouff, is at present visiting at Edmonton and Newbrook.

A number of Irma residents were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foxwell at Salt Lake Chauvin, on Sunday, July 16th.

A large crowd, including the L.O. B.A. and L.O.L. members from our town motored to Wainwright on July 12th for the Orange celebration. The members of the different lodges along this line marched from the lodge rooms in the Masonic hall to the fair grounds, led by the Wainwright band. A good line of sports were run off during the afternoon and evening and also a number of speakers delivered addresses from the band stand. The booth committee did a flourishing business especially at meal times and were well rewarded for their work. Altogether it was a most successful day.

Mr. and Mrs. Pryce Jones left on Sunday for Provost and other points for a short holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Robertson and family started by car for Banff on Wednesday, July 19th, for a holiday. Miss Gladys Gieson accompanied them as far as Calgary on her way to Staveland for a visit with friends.

A few of the residents of this district are taking in the Edmonton fair this week.

The old-timers' picnic took place on Wednesday, July 19, at which Irma district was well represented.

Report of Battle River Federal U.F.A. Constituency Convention, at Greenshields

The 14th annual convention of the Battle River Federal Constituency Association met at Greenshields on July 12 in the U.F.A. hall.

Various committees were arranged. Mr. Walter Skinner was chairman with Mr. J. McDuffe as assistant; the president gave a very interesting address, and the financial report was read and adopted.

The afternoon session was opened with community singing followed by an address by W. D. Farquharson, M.L.A., who spoke on Provincial matters, stressing the limited power of the provincial legislature. H. E. Spencer, M.P., then gave the first half of his report on the session at Ottawa. Considerable discussion took place on a resolution with regard to the relationship of the U.F.A. and the C.C.F.

The Juniors were in charge of the evening sessions, both these were closed with a short dance.

Tuesday morning further discussion took place on the C.C.F. resolution, and another important one on proportional representation. H. E. Spencer, M.P., gave the concluding part of his report, and the afternoon was devoted to the U.F.A. conference. Mr. Postans took charge of this, and was in the chair, one minute of silence was observed in memory of the late Miss Bateman, Mrs. Spencer gave a very interesting talk on art, both ancient and modern, and showed some beautiful reproductions from the art gallery. H. E. Spencer, M.P., addressed the ladies on the monetary system. An exhibition of handicraft articles was on display.

Mr. Spencer's report this year again outlined in considerable detail the business of Canada as set forth in the speech from the throne, the budget, numerous bills, etc.

The speech from the throne largely dealt with the legislation arising from the Imperial Economic Conference. Amendments were moved to both the speech from the throne and the budget, copies of which were referred to by the member.

The total deficit in the national bookkeeping this year was given as \$156,122,000.

Particulars were given of all large expenditures, increases being shown under the heading of interest on debt, the department of justice, the R.C.M.P. and subsidies to the provinces. The country's revenues were also given, that from the customs being the largest amount.

Particular reference was made to the appointment of a royal commission to investigate fully into banking and currency.

The tax changes for the current year were summarized. In referring to the budget, Mr. Spencer gave reasons for the deficit, and while doing so drew attention to certain acceptable features proposed by the finance minister, while he roundly criticized the unpleasant and what he termed, unjustifiable factors.

The member drew attention to the government's two obsessions, one being that of balancing the budget, irrespective of the welfare of the people and the other, the joy of the government seemed to express over getting a favorable balance of trade, even when exports had dropped by \$20,000,000.

Mr. Spencer gave an outline of the general condition of the country with so much poverty in the midst of plenty.

He gave various reasons for the lack of purchasing power and drew the convention's attention to certain basic facts which should be faced, and could be remedied. He recommended a reversal of the government's policy with respect to taxation and public works.

A list of the private members' resolutions which were discussed in the House and the fate each received was presented.

In closing, Mr. Spencer outlined the chief features of the session as follows:

1. Imperial Economic Conference.
2. Effort to tie the dollar to the pound.
3. Gasoline Investigation.
4. Debt and Interest Investigation.
5. Attempt to enquire into the Sun Life Assurance Co.
6. Unsuccessful effort to trade with Russia.
7. Co-operative Commonwealth Resolution.
8. Appointment of Tariff Advisory Board.
9. Effort to delete Section 98 of the criminal code.
10. Suggested Reciprocity with the United States.
11. The Railway Bill.
12. Unemployment and Farm Relief Bill.
13. Dominion Notes Act Amendment.
14. Appointment of Royal Commission to investigate Banking and Currency.

15. Soldier Settlers' Act Amendment.

16. Pensions Act Amendment.

At the conclusion of Mr. Spencer's report, the usual opportunity was given for questions.

Wednesday morning's session was resumed by the U.F.A., an address was given by Mrs. Postans, and one on Equitation by Mr. C. East. Mr. W. Skinner was appointed delegate to the C.C.F. convention, held at Regina. Several important resolutions were discussed after which the meeting occurred.

The officers elected were as follows: President, Mr. W. Skinner, River-

Vice-President, Mrs. Frank Redmond, Heath.

Directors: For Vermilion, Mr. C. East, Vermilion; Wainwright, Mr. S. C. Lees, Edmonton; Ribstone, Mr. R. A. Beck, Caer; Alexander, Mr. Lee Green, Riverton.

Viking Items

Work regrading the streets began Monday morning with George Loades in charge of the grader and "Len" at the power end.

The senior band under the leadership of Ken Hilliker have given concerts on Main street on Saturday evenings for the past two weeks. These concerts have been very much appreciated and the band is to be commended for their effort.

G. W. Green mails us a postcard from "Chi," where he and Mrs. Green are seeing the sights at the world's fair. Mr. Green states there are enormous crowds, wonderful exhibits and the weather not too hot.

A. Adell has been visiting the Calgary stampede and also enjoyed a few days at Banff.

Local citizens witnessed a race between an aeroplane and the fast train here last Friday evening with the aeroplane nosing out a win. An eastern business man had missed the train at Edmonton and hired an aeroplane to take him to Viking the first stop.

Mr. H. L. Cooper and son, Harry, took home a new Chevrolet truck from Brown's Garage last week.

Mr. Jno. J. Schuller has just purchased a new second-hand car from the Chevrolet dealer, W. J. Brown today.

O. S. Sloan and Douglas Newmarch have returned from a trip by motor to Vancouver and other coast points. They were so well pleased with the coast city that they purchased a residence there and expect to move out shortly to reside. On the return trip, they were accompanied by Norman Farge of West Vancouver. While fishing at Horseshoe Bay, just north of Vancouver, Mr. Sloan had "the thrill that comes once in a lifetime" when he pulled out a 27 lb. salmon.

The Viking beach has assumed popularity once more, no less than three cottages have been erected. Families now at the lake are Mr. and Mrs. Rollins, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kelly (this week) Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hilliker, and Mr. and Mrs. Thunell. Bathing and visitors are also becoming more numerous while the summer days are here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Verner of Stettler spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Harland Hilliker, leaving on Monday for Paradise Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Ross spent a few days at Bonnyville last week with their son Sid who has a drugstore at that point, also paying a visit to Cold Lake, before returning home.

Open Air Service at Camp Lake Sunday, July 23rd.

An open air service will be held at Camp Lake on Sunday, July 23, at 2:00 p.m. This service will be in connection with the boys' camp which began July 19th. The regular services of the Viking circuit of the United church will be withdrawn in favor of this boys' service. The boys will take the major part of the service, while Mr. Rands will give an address on Boy Life and Boy Problems. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this service which will be held in the outdoor chapel on the lake shore.

Viking Wins At Ryley Sports Tourney

The fast travelling Viking ball team copped the honors at the Ryley sports last Wednesday afternoon. They swept through the Vegreville aggregation by the score of 5 to 2, and then in the finals romped home with the bacon to the tune of 13 to 7 at the expense of Horden. The local team played almost errorless ball behind J. McAthey and J. Stambaugh who worked on the mound in their best form of the season.

On Thursday evening in the league game Viking blanked Horden by the score of 5 to 0, and are still sitting pretty on top of the league standing. Viking has only lost one game in the gas line league schedule.

WAINWRIGHT MUSICAL FESTIVAL STATEMENT

To Donors of Trophies and Boards of Trustees of schools competing in the Wainwright Musical Festival of 1933.

Gentlemen,
Feeling that the above persons are especially interested in the success of the Musical Festival, the committee in charge takes this opportunity of presenting herewith a statement of the financial standing of the organization for the current year.

EXPENDITURES

Central Organization fee	\$ 5.15
Expenses of delegate to meeting of Central Executive	8.02
Engraving 1932 medals for winners	17.00
Programmes	37.25
Timetables	4.00
Stamps	6.00
Ticket collector, etc., Festival day	10.00
Three adjudicators' fees and expenses	128.25
Lumber for stage	5.50
Hall rent	5.00
Accompanist	5.00
Printing adjudicating forms	2.25
Drawing	1.00
Secretary	15.00
Medals	94.15
Total	\$343.57

RECEIPTS

Ticket sale of day, less 25 per cent of theatre receipts as rent	\$187.00
Government grant	50.00
Total	\$237.00

Deficit on 1933 Festival 106.57

This deficit will be reduced by \$25.00 which is still due from the Central organization toward the fees of the adjudicator of music.

Bank balance at June 30, 1932 \$374.12

Less deficit above 106.57

Bank balance at June 8, 1933. 267.55

All accounts are paid to date.

The above accounts have been checked and certified correct by Mr. H. P. Thoreson, Principal Wainwright School.

The committee wishes to thank you for your splendid support of the Festival in past years and we trust this support may continue.

Respectively yours,

H. L. Courcier.

President

L. Good.

Inspector of Schools.



H. J. Humphrey, newly appointed general manager Eastern Lines, Canadian Pacific Railway, with headquarters in Montreal, succeeding J. J. Scully, who relinquished his post on account of ill health after many years service. Mr. Humphrey was formerly assistant to Mr. Grant Hall, Vice-President.

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